

# THE GETTYSBURG TIMES.

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Price Two Cents

## ANNUAL OXFORD REDUCTION SALE

BEGINS THURS. AUG. 4

Some of these OXFORDS are staple as "old wheat" the "gleanings" one or two pairs of a kind, odd sizes and widths you'll feel ashamed to buy at the prices. But even those staple lots first mentioned must come under this sale at a 10 per cent reduction. In short **Every Oxford in the Store is Reduced.**

### MEN'S OXFORDS

One lot of Tan Russia Calf Plain toe Pumps on "C" and "D" widths \$4, "Walk-Overs," a sporty shoe for young men at \$2.85. About 30 to 40 pairs picked from here and there at \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.48, all good values.

### WOMEN'S OXFORDS

You Lady folks have by this time gotten the habit of attending this sale, because you know it's worth while. \$98, \$1.48, \$1.98, will be the prices on almost all broken lots of less than six pairs of a kind.

### BOY'S OXFORDS

Not a bad pair in the lot 20 per cent off on any style.

### CHILDREN'S OXFORDS

All of them at less than 10 per cent off.

**PLEASE BRING YOUR POCKET BOOKS AND YOUR FEET**

We don't have enough sizes to warrant sending goods on approval. We want the money, not a charge on our books.

**SALE BEGINS THURS. MORNING**

**ECKERT'S STORE,**

"On The Square"

## AT THE WALTER THEATRE TO-NIGHT

THE COOLEST PLACE IN TOWN  
TO-NIGHT

**JAY WELLINGTON**

and his Associated players in

**A New York Roof Garden by Night**

New Songs, New Comedy Acts, New Dances, Special Costumes,  
Special Stage Effects, Entrancing Scenes.

Doors open 7.30

Curtain 8.30

Popular prices 20 and 30c.

## Too Hot to Cook!

Not if you have a New Perfection Oil Range.

We have them in one, two and three-burner sizes.

If you use a New Perfection you will find it more pleasure than

labor to get the meals.

LET US DEMONSTRATE THEM TO YOU.

## Gettysburg Department Store

### WIZARD THEATRE

ESSANAY

EDISON

Burly Bill

Essanay

A curious combination of pathos and humor. The picture will make you laugh in some scenes and then, too, a lump will come in your throat when you see Burly Bill, tramp and burglar, taking care of a deserted baby. A reel which is bound to please.

Out of the Night

Edison

Emotions to which some may be a stranger will be aroused by this picture. It is a film, the memory of which will remain long in the minds of those who are fortunate enough to see it.

## REDUCTIONS

On all our low shoes

Men's and Women's greatly reduced in price.

All our Straw Hats at and below cost.

**D. J. REILE,** 13 Chambersburg St., Gettysburg, Pa

## All Straw Hats at Cost

It is not profitable to carry straws over the season therefore we offer all we have in stock at cost. They are all good medium shapes.

This also applies to low shoes and oxfords, consequently there is a chance for you to make a considerable saving on summer shoes.

**Seligman & McIlhenny**

First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Pa.

## TO TAKE AWAY HISTORIC PUMP

Pump Stock where Water was drawn for Horses of General Early, at Time Requisition was Made, to be Removed.

At the meeting of the Town Council on Tuesday evening it was decided to remove the historic old pump stock in front of the Reichle and Crouse butcher shop on Baltimore street. The reason given is that it is in the way, a hindrance to teams and frequently used as a hitching post.

At the time of Early's raid June 26, 1863, the Confederate general watered his horse at this pump while writing a requisition on the town of Gettysburg for supplies or an equivalent in money. He got neither though he threatened to burn the town if one or the other was not forthcoming.

The part of the stock above the ground became decayed some time after the battle but was replaced, the old part below the ground remaining as it was the time of Early's raid. The kettle out of which the horse drank was formerly the property of the Danner museum but is now on exhibition at the Jennie Wade House.

At the meeting of Council the following members were present: Messrs. Trostle, Kitzmiller, Koch, Armor, Codori and Shealer.

The Board of Health reported that complaint had been made by residents of Springs avenue concerning the burning of garbage on the lot controlled by the borough near the old ice pond on West Middle street.

The Civic Club was granted its usual appropriation of \$10.00 for sprinkling purposes.

It was decided to place tungsten lights on the second squares of Carlisle and Chambersburg streets provided the trees be trimmed by the property owners so as to make the lights effective.

Officer O'Riely had reported that a light was necessary on the Carlisle street block on account of the trouble he had experienced there in keeping undesirable parties away at night.

A request was made by residents of Steinwehr avenue that the streets be swept prior to the National Guard encampment as they expected to have the thoroughfare sprinkled during that period. It was decided on motion of Mr. Codori seconded by Mr. Koch that Baltimore and Washington streets and Steinwehr avenue be put in condition before the opening of the encampment.

Dennis Twomey again appeared before Council asking that they see that pavements be laid between his property and the new High School building.

Mr. Weikert asked Council to get an outlet for residents living in the east end of town along Western Maryland railroad. It was claimed by the Council that no crossing can be placed there on account of the heavy grade. A recent act of assembly prohibits such a crossing unless it is found absolutely necessary.

On motion of Mr. Armor seconded by Mr. Codori the Highway Committee was instructed to make wider the crossing at the intersection of East Middle and Liberty streets.

Borough Solicitor Wible called the attention of the Council to the condition of crossing plates at the corner of Baltimore and Breckenridge streets.

Secretary Kitzmiller was instructed to send notices to numerous property owners to repair pavements.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A very pleasant birthday surprise party was held at the home of John W. Fidler at Table Rock in honor of Mr. Fidler's 67th birthday on Saturday. Those present were, John W. Fidler and wife, Harry Hartzel and wife, Daniel Fidler and wife, Samuel Detrick and wife, Emory Raffensperger, wife and children, Nettie, Loretta and Ivan, Edgar Hartman, wife and son, Paul, Miss Sophia Fidler, Mrs. Angeline Detrick, George W. Wagner and wife and son Glenn, Levi Deardorff, wife and daughter Dora, Orville Ditzler, wife and children, Russell and Paul, Benton Fidler, wife and children, Ray and Josephine, Mrs. Harry Walter and son Fred, Mrs. C. A. Sterner and daughter Hope, Mrs. George Mock and daughter, Margaret, Miss Leila Orner, Mrs. Margaret Rice, John H. Fidler.

WANTED—Gentleman's second hand bicycle. State make and price. Address "W" this office.

Be sure to attend March's big cattle sale at Gettysburg Saturday, August 6.

FOR SALE: a farm near Seven Stars. Apply N. H. Musselman, Gettysburg, Pa.

A 1907 Cadillac automobile in good running condition, will be sold cheap or exchanged for a good family horse. Apply at Gettysburg Foundry.

Eat Ziegler's bread.

## SHOW GIVEN BY TOWN AMATEURS

Gettysburg Young Men and Ladies Present Two Plays and "A New York Roof Garden by Night." Unique Features.

Gettysburg was treated to another amateur theatrical event Tuesday evening when, before a crowded house in Walter's Theatre, a number of the young people of town presented two one act plays and "A New York Roof Garden by Night."

With a few exceptions it was the first appearance on the stage of the entire cast and too much cannot be said in praise of all who took part in the evening's entertainment. Gettysburg had been promised for several weeks that new talent would be brought to light and the promise was certainly fulfilled, the young people all acquitting themselves with credit.

The affair required a very great deal of trouble and work to stage and all who participated deserve the greatest praise. The gowns were unusually handsome and the stage effects exceptionally good. The evening opened with a one act comedy "Betsy Baker," the cast being Miss Ruth Hamilton, Miss Ruth Buehler, Jay Wellington and Joseph Donahue. The play was a laughable farce and was well given.

The first of the specialties which always prove the most enjoyable parts of Mr. Wellington's productions followed. Mr. Frank Carroll and five of the chorus sang "Any Little Girl" doing a graceful and well executed dance. Mr. Wellington sang "My Black Eyed Susan" and Calvin Hartman and six of the chorus gave "Molly Lee," a patriotic love song.

The hit of the evening followed when Edgar Miller sang "I've Got the Time, I've Got the Place, but it's Hard to Find the Girl." Miss Mary Kohler and Miss Lollie Spangler appeared on the stage in a runabout drawn by three of the chorus men. On the encore they were rolled in barrels across the stage screaming lustily. The house showed its vigorous approval of the stunt by applauding loud and long.

The second play was "A Honey Moon Eclipse" in which the parts were taken by Miss Elleta Spangler, Miss Mary Kohler and Frank Carroll. It was the first appearance for the young ladies in the play but they were thoroughly at ease and they got out of the play all that was in it.

The final number of the evening's entertainment was "A New York Roof Garden by Night." Special efforts were put forth to make an attractive stage and an excellent effect was the result. A stage was erected on the main stage and from this all of the numbers except the finale were given. Miss Mary Kohler with four of the chorus in a unique specialty sang "Roses". Miss Edna Tudor sang "The Garden of Roses" and one of the best features of the evening followed when Miss Lollie Spangler sang "Hello, Mr. Stein." Miss Frieda Buehler and Miss Viola Miller executed the dance of the steins.

Gettysburg's first experience with pantomime was "A Monk's Love" given by Mr. Wellington and Miss Ruth Buehler. Miss Mary Kohler and a portion of the chorus sang, "Meet Me To-night in Dreamland." Frank Carroll sang a solo and with the entire company sang "A Girl, A Drink and a Song," the finale.

In addition to those mentioned above the following took part: Mr. Crea Dickson, Maurice Weaver, Edward S. Bream and George Hartman. Mrs. Bessie Timmins was accompanist.

### SURPRISE PARTY

On Monday evening a pleasant surprise party took place at the home of Mr. Eli Pitzer at Two Taverns.

Those present were: Eli Pitzer, Mrs. Sarah Raubenstine, Charles Snyder, George M. Detrick, Daniel Diehl, Mrs. Ezra Diehl and children, Paul, Nellie, Clair and David, Elmer and Willis Snyder, Clara and Theron Sentz, Myrtle Ararat, Mildred, Elizabeth and Leola Detrick, Mrs. George Detrick, Agnes Snyder, Mrs. Hanson Collins, Claude, Edgar and Lloyd Snyder, Mary and Ray Collins, Ida, Margie and Eva Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Birnie Bowers, Glen Bowers, Mrs. L. A. Sentz and James Pitzer.

C. C. Haines is ready to do general smithing in his new shop opposite the milk station. Horse shoeing a specialty. Biglerville, Pa.

A six room house for sale. All necessary outbuildings, situated at 132 West Middle street. For information call on E. A. Weaver, Baltimore street.

For sale—25 horsepower engine boiler and 12 horse engine. Can be bought at a bargain.  
Box 226, New Oxford, Pa.

## ST. JAMES 11 REFORMED 0

Tie for Second Place in Sunday School Base Ball League is Broken, Interesting Game until Last Inning.

Holding the strong St. James team to a 1-0 score until the fifth inning the Reformed nine gave way in the last inning of Tuesday night's game and before they recovered themselves the Lutheran batters had piled up ten runs and finished the game with an 11-0 score.

Until the final inning the game was a good one and the spectators were treated to a good exhibition. Hartzel again pitched for St. James and kept the Reformed from becoming all too dangerous. There was only one inning in which more than three men faced him and then he gave two bases on balls.

In the first inning St. James scored a run on McDonnell's hit, a stolen base, a dropped fly by Foreman and an overthrow which allowed McDonnell to cross the plate. Several other innings St. James was dangerous but failed to score.

Miller, who pitched for the Reformed, did well until the fifth when hits followed each other in rapid succession and his teammates failed to play in their usual form. He gave way to Swope off whose delivery several more runs were made.

Reformed 0 0 0 0 0-0  
St. James 1 0 0 0 10-11

The standing of the teams in the league follows:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Catholic	4	0	1.000
St. James	5	2	.714
Reformed	4	3	.571
College	2	3	.400
Presbyterian	2	4	.333
Methodist	1	3	.250
United Brethren	0	3	.000

### JOHN KRUG

At 5.30 a. m. Tuesday John Krug, one of Hanover's oldest and best known citizens, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. H. Trone, in Hanover, aged 90 years, 3 months and 13 days.

Mr. Krug was married three times—first in October, 1852, to Miss Susan Willet, daughter of George and Elizabeth Willet. His second wife was Melinda Feeser and later he was united in marriage to Miss Agnes Keagy, who died about 12 years ago. He was father to ten children, eight of whom are now living, as follows: George W. Krug, of Kingsdale, Adams county; D. D. Krug, of Hanover; Harry Krug, of Kentland, Indiana; Paul Krug and Mrs. John Hershey, Hanover; Mrs. Lewis Myers, Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. Peter Menges, New Oxford and Mrs. H. H. Trone, Hanover.

Mr. Krug was born near Bollinger's mill, in Union township, Adams county April 20, 1820; was the son of George and Sarah (Lechty) Krug, and grandson of Henry Krug. His father was born in Lancaster county in 1798. Mr. Krug remained on his father's farm until he reached the age of 21 years. In 1842 his father died, after which he learned the trade of miller with his uncle, John Lechty, who, at that time, lived in Littlestown.

Upon the completion of his trade, Mr. Krug located near Libertytown, Md., where for two years he was employed in a mill. He then returned to Adams county and engaged in farming and butchering for several years. In 1860 he moved to York county, and a few years after bought a farm in Conewago township, Adams county, where he continued farming for a number of years. Subsequently he purchased the Young farm near Hanover, which he farmed until 1889, when he retired from active life.

By industry, economy and careful investments he was successful in business transactions, and was interested in several industries in Hanover.

### IN MEMORIAM

Funt, Aug. 1. In sad and loving memory of my father, Howard Funt, who departed this life Feb. 1, 1910.

In Fairview sweetly sleeping,  
Where pine branches gently wave,  
Lies the idol of my dreamings,  
In his dark and silent grave.

In that lowly quiet spot  
Daily in my life I miss him,  
And I forget him not.

Six months have passed and still I miss him.  
Friends may think the wound has healed  
But God alone knows the sorrow  
That's within my heart concealed.

By his daughter, Mary.

It will not pay you to miss March's big cattle sale at Gettysburg Saturday, August 6.

Knouse's store at Brysonia will close next Wednesday, Aug. 10, at 10.30 a. m.

Eat Ziegler's Bread.

## SHORT PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Paragraphs Telling the News of the Town and County and of Some Places Nearby. Short Items for Quick Reading.

Rev. and Mrs. Martin E. Anderson of Champaign, Illinois, have been guests for the past few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Seligman on York street.

The game between the Presbyterians and Methodists will be played tonight instead of tomorrow as scheduled.

Miss Louise McKnight, of Pittsburgh, is visiting at the home of Miss Elizabeth Cox on Baltimore street.

Miss Helen Himes, of New Oxford, spent Tuesday evening with friends here.

Dr. H. W. McKnight is having his property at the corner of Baltimore street and the Square repaired.

Master Robert Geiselman has returned home after spending a few days in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Buehner, and two children, of Miamisburg, Ohio, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Geiselman on East Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloy M. Stoner and daughter, Viola, spent the past two weeks at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vingling, of New Chester.

Misses Anna Hollebaugh and Verna Speese are visiting friends in Chambersburg.

Miss Alma Andrews, of South Washington street, is spending a few days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Topper, on route 7.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Felton, of Baltimore, are visiting the Misses Krise on Carlisle street.

Miss Edna Bowers of Breckenridge street, is visiting friends in Hanover.

Mrs. Harvey Welty and daughter have returned to Baltimore after spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Yeagy on South Washington street.

### TWO TAVERNS

Two taverns, August 3—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hawn spent Sunday with friends at Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Breighner and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buddy.

Mrs. C. A. Yoost and daughter, Beatrice, spent Sunday at Hanover.

Messrs. Aug. Sentz and John Rensell, of Kee Mar, Md., spent Sunday with Peter Sentz and family.

Rev. M. L. Rudisill, James Sherman and C. A. Yoost are improving their properties by adding new lawn fences.

Grace Lutheran Sunday School will hold their annual celebration this Saturday at which time a game of baseball is promised.

Eli Pitzer and Mrs. Sarah Raubenstine spent Sunday with friends at New Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gitt, of near McSherrystown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Commodore Nunemaker and Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nunemaker.

Walter Crabbs, of York, spent Sunday with George M. Detrick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sell, of Littlestown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Patterson and family, of near Gettysburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lemmon.

### HANOVER GETS THE SHOPS

A deal was closed Tuesday by the officers of the Hanover Merchants' Association whereby the Western Maryland railway company's shops are assured for that town. It will be remembered that some weeks ago efforts were made to have them removed here. John Carmichael, of Baltimore, engineer of maintenance of ways of the company accepted the association's offer of the John Forry tract of land in the east end on which the railroad people can erect new shops and roundhouse; also the coaling station now located at Valley Junction. The price paid was \$1,500 and of this the railroad will pay \$750 while the Hanover merchants will pay the remainder. The probability is that work will be started on the new buildings at an early date.

### COMING EVENTS

Aug. 11-20—National Guard of Pennsylvania encampment.

Aug. 25—"Graustark," Walter's Theatre.

Aug. 30—"Human Hearts," Walter's Theatre.

Don't forget March's cattle sale at Gettysburg Saturday, August 6.

## LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents send in Many Items of Interesting News from their Respective Towns. Personals and Many Brief Items.

### KINGSDALE

Kingsdale, Aug. 3—Howard Hyser and wife, of near Harnish School House, spent Sunday with Calvin Bowman and family.

Emory Goulson and family, of Bon-neauville, spent Sunday with Pius Gouker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coffman and son, George, of Westminster spent Sunday with Samuel Coffman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowers and sons, Roscoe and Alton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Horner near Bullfrog Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Funk, of Littlestown, spent Sunday with J. E. Bowers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mummert, of near Silver Run, spent Sunday with Joseph Creslion and family.

John Fanus and brother, of Street, Md., are here repairing the canning factory.

Newton Harner spent Sunday with Charles Feeser and family near Bon-neauville.

W. M. King and family spent Sunday at the Penn Grove Camp.

Dallas Boose of Littlestown, spent Sunday with Joseph Wolf and family.

### LIBERTY HALL

Liberty Hall, Aug. 3. Eiker Brothers have purchased a new traction engine and are busy threshing in the community.

Samuel Boyd and wife, of near Taneytown, spent Sunday with the family of Sherman Sites.

John Hockensmith and wife, of Taneytown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Plank.

Miss Mae Kugler is spending a few weeks with Mr. Shives, of near Big-Pool, Md.

Russel Stoops and Miss Mae Johnston spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Eiker.

Charles Sites and wife, of near Emmitsburg, spent Sunday with the family of George F. Sites.

David Diehl has threshed his crops and reports a good yield.

John S. Eiker brought his new engine home from Waynesboro in less than twelve hours.

Messrs. Eston White and Harvey Sites spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Plank and sister Grace.

William Crouse had a large force of hands at work making hay.

James Plank had quantity of oats to heat in the barn and was compelled to haul it out into a field and reshock it.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Baker spent Sunday with Ollie Sanders and wife.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sanders a daughter.

The family of Mahlon Reynolds are entertaining some company.

Miss Joanna White spent Sunday with Miss Luella Annan, of Emmitsburg.

Mrs. Milton Hall visited the family of Sherman Sites on Sunday.

J. H. Sites spent a few days in Hag-erstown and visited his uncle and aunt, G. A. Sites and sister, Alice, of Big Pool, Md.

Mrs. Susan Carbaugh and daughter, Grace, spent Sunday with the family of Henry Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kugler and son, Clarence, spent Sunday with the family of Samuel Kugler, of near Emmitsburg.

John Shindledacker and wife and Charles Carbaugh and son spent Sunday with William Crouse and mother.

Quite a number attended the base ball festival in Fairfield on Saturday evening.

The community was well represented at the "Odd Fellows' reunion at Pen Mar on Thursday, many of whom drove.

Miss Annie Bowling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowling had an attack of indigestion on Sunday but is much improved at present writing.

Mrs. Allen Pryor and daughter of near Emmitsburg, spent Sunday with the family of Walter White.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. White and son, George visited the families of Sherman Sites and Walter White on Sunday.

George F. Sites, wife and son, Donald, recently visited Charles Sites and family, of near Emmitsburg.

The family of Mr. Stuart Sites and Mr. Burman spent a day fishing recently. The number caught is reported to be fifteen. Mr. Sites caught eight and Mr. Burman seven.



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Want ads. 1 cent per word for first insertion and one-half cent per word for each additional insertion. Resolutions of respect, poetry and memorials one-half cent per word.

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In Stock by

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## New Perfection WICK BLUE FLAME Oil Cook-Stove

For Sale at

S. G. BIGHAM'S HARDWARE STORE  
Biglerville, Pa.

## Mid-Summer CLEARANCE SALE

of High Grade Pianos and Sewing Machines  
To be sold at a very great reduction for the  
next 30 days

\$250 Piano \$175

\$275 " \$200

\$300 " \$225

\$650 Player Piano \$475

Entire Stock Reduced

### SEWING MACHINES

from \$12.50 up. All Machines reduced

Don't miss this sale by any means, this means dollars in your pockets. We are offering you the Greatest bargains ever offered in Gettysburg. Call and examine our stock and compare prices and goods. Easy terms if desired.

## Spangler's Music House

48 York St., Gettysburg, Pa.

### Can be Paid at Bank

For the convenience of its subscribers The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania has selected The First National Bank as a local institution where moneys due them can be paid and receipts in full furnished for such payments.

As a subscriber to The Bell Telephone Company we beg to extend to you the facilities thus made possible in connection with your business with the Telephone Company. Our Banking House is open every business day from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., where we shall be pleased to aid you in the transaction of your business.

Yours Truly,

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Samuel Bushman, Cashier.

## Protect your Health

by using pure ice made from distilled water. Germs of every kind (and especially typhoid) lurk in open ponds and streams. These germs are not destroyed they are preserved for your later use when frozen into ice.

All ice of the Gettysburg Ice & Storage Company is made from carefully distilled water and delivered by prompt courteous men.

Phone your order

Both Phones

Gettysburg Ice & Storage Co.

### HE WON'T QUIT.

Secretary Bailing to  
Spend Summer in Seattle.



### MUCH MONEY FOR NEW POSTOFFICES

More Than a Million From Congress For Nearby Cities.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Federal appropriations for postoffices and for postoffice sites will benefit a number of towns in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware within the coming year.

The act covering these appropriations subdivides the appropriations into several classes, which include postoffice buildings and sites in all parts of the country. These subdivisions contain the following appropriations for Pennsylvania, South and East Jersey and Delaware:

For the enlargement or improvement of postoffices and other buildings:

Federal buildings at Harrisburg, Pa., \$125,000; postoffice at Oil City, Pa., \$25,000; postoffice at Beaver Falls, Pa., \$50,000.

For erection and completion of following buildings:

Postoffice and custom house at Lewes, Del., \$40,000; postoffice at Butler, Pa., \$75,000; postoffice at Corry, Pa., \$65,000; postoffice at Sunbury, Pa., \$100,000; postoffice, internal revenue office and national park commission at Gettysburg, Pa., \$100,000.

For purchase of site and erection of following buildings:

Postoffice at Smyrna, Del., \$25,000; postoffice at Millville, N. J., \$55,000; postoffice at Long Branch, N. J., \$125,000; postoffice at Carnegie, Pa., \$80,000; postoffice at East Pittsburg, Pa., \$100,000; postoffice at Hanover, Pa., \$100,000; postoffice at Huntingdon, Pa., \$80,000; postoffice at Monongahela, Pa., \$80,000.

For purchase of land only:

Postoffice site at Woodbury, N. J., \$15,000; postoffice site at Bethlehem, Pa., \$20,000; postoffice site at DuBois, Pa., \$25,000; postoffice site, additional ground, Lancaster, Pa., \$40,000; postoffice site at Media, Pa., \$10,000; postoffice site at Pottstown, Pa., \$25,000; postoffice site at South Bethlehem, Pa., \$20,000; postoffice site at Rochester, Pa., \$30,000; postoffice site at Tarentum, Pa., \$20,000.

This makes a total of \$1,423,000 for federal buildings and sites appropriated by congress this year for Pennsylvania, Delaware, South and East Jersey.

### P. & R. COAL DOCKS BLOWN UP

Dynamiters Wreck Costly Structure Being Built on Lake Superior.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 3.—Two heavy charges of dynamite were exploded at the Philadelphia & Reading Lake Superior coal docks in Superior, Wis. The docks were nearing completion. A steel unloading rig, weighing 580 tons and costing \$80,000, was thrown down and partly wrecked.

The contracting firm operates on the open shop plant, but has never had any labor trouble.

Teddy, Jr., Back at Work.

San Francisco, Aug. 3.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is at work at the salesrooms of a carpet and rug company as an ordinary employee.

### WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	78	P. Cloudy
Atlantic City.....	76	Cloudy
Boston.....	72	P. Cloudy
Buffalo.....	74	P. Cloudy
Chicago.....	74	Clear
New Orleans.....	84	P. Cloudy
New York.....	76	Clear
Philadelphia.....	76	P. Cloudy
St. Louis.....	78	P. Cloudy
Washington.....	80	P. Cloudy

### Weather Forecast.

Today, partly cloudy, followed by showers; tomorrow, fair.

### HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for an case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDING, KINKADEE & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Eat Ziegler's bread

## 14 BURNED BY VITRIOL

Wagon Upset and Children Were Covered With Acid.

### TWO DIE OF INJURIES

Ten Children Fearfully Injured, and Men Who Tried to Rescue Them Also Badly Hurt.

Philadelphia, Aug. 3.—Fourteen persons, ten children and four men, were terribly burned by vitriol through the upsetting of a supply wagon of the bureau of fire at Eighteenth street and Ridge avenue. One of the men, Richard Grear, of 825 North Hutchinson street, a fireman, and all of the children were riding on the wagon when the accident took place. The three others were burned in their efforts at rescue.

Of the injured children, two died at St. Joseph's hospital, where all fourteen persons were taken. It is probable that all will be marked for life by the terrible burns inflicted upon them.

The dead are Catherine Daniels, nine years old, and Raymond Dager, seven years old.

Three of the injured are men who went to the rescue of the children, and were painfully burned about the hands, arms and feet.

Grear is the father of five of the children, whom he had allowed to ride with him while delivering supplies of the chemical to the various engine houses. It was spilled over the children when the wheel came off the wagon and sent children and carboys and vitriol into the street together.

Grear left the supply house with his wagon loaded up with four ten-gallon glass carboys, eight five-gallon cans and a barrel of the chemical. On his way uptown to distribute it among the engine houses of the northwestern section of the city he stopped at his home.

Children of the neighborhood, including his five daughters, besought Grear to take them for a ride on his wagon, and, although it is forbidden by the rules of the bureau to allow any person but the driver on the wagon, he consented.

Accordingly the ten children clambered aboard and sat wherever they could find room. Young Raymond Dager sat on the barrel and other on the wooden casings of the carboys or on the floor of the wagon.

As the wagon crossed Eighteenth street the wheels became locked in the grooved trolley tracks. Grear turned the horse sharply to pull off the track, and the rear axle broke. The wagon dropped with a crash and then rolled over on its side. The shock broke the glass carboys and knocked the plug from the barrel, so that the fiery liquid poured out in a flood.

Raymond Dager was thrown from his perch on the barrel and spurt after spurt of the acid spouted from the open bung hole all over his head and body. It was in this manner that he suffered the burns which caused his death.

The contents of the carboys quickly flooded the wagon, and there was no escape for the huddled children, whose screams of agony aroused the neighborhood and could be heard for blocks. Grear was hurled backward from his seat by the shock of the wreck and directly into the whirling pool of acid. Blinded by the fluid and crazed by their pain, neither he nor the children seemed able to get away by leaping from the wagon.

## DOG FINDS 3 BOYS' BODIES IN SAND PILE

Smothered by Cave-In While at Play.

New York, Aug. 3.—Three little boys who had been searched for high and low since they were missed from their homes on Madison street, in Brooklyn, Monday, were found dead in a nearby vacant lot, where a sand embankment had fallen upon them while they were at play.

The presence of the bodies in the sand pile was discovered by a dog playing with his boy master in the lot. The lad gave the alarm, and policemen and firemen dug the crushed forms from the sand.

It is supposed the boys had been attempting to tunnel the sand pile, and that it had caved in upon them. The dead children were Alfred Sohn, 9 years old; his brother, John, 6, and Harold Verhas, 9.

### Henry Taft Sails for Europe.

New York, Aug. 3.—Henry Taft, brother of the president, was one of the passengers starting for Europe on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. His destination is Paris, where he will join Mrs. Taft, and remain in the French capital for some time. Together they will go on a health seeking trip.

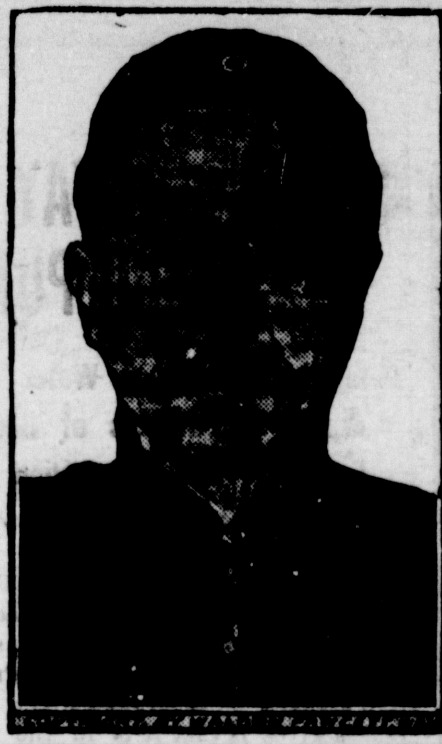
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### WU TING FANG.

Chinese Diplomat Appointed to New Office.



### WU TING FANG IN OFFICE

Retired Diplomat Appointed Counselor to the Foreign Office.

Pekin, Aug. 3.—Wu Ting-fang, former minister to the United States, who upon his retirement from the diplomatic service was thought to have been relegated permanently to private life by the new forces at Peking, has now re-entered office.

He was appointed counselor to the foreign office, which recognizes the need of a man of strength and foreign experience since the dismissal by the regent of Yuan Shi-Kai.

### BASE BALL SCORES.

Following is the Result of Games Played Yesterday.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Chicago—Athletics, 3; Chicago, 2. Batteries—Morgan, Plank, Livingstone; Scott, Olmstead, Lange, Sullivan.  
At Cleveland—New York, 5; Cleveland, 2. Batteries—Hughes, Mitchell; Fanwell, Mitchell, Bemis.  
At Detroit—Boston, 4; Detroit, 3. Batteries—Collins, Wood, Carrigan; Summers, Willett, Stange.  
At St. Louis—Washington, 3; St. Louis, 5. Batteries—Gray, Reisinger, Henry, Kinsella, Stephens.

#### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L. P. C. W. L. P. C.  
Athletics 61 25 64 Cleveland 41 47 46  
Boston 57 37 58 Washington 38 55 49  
N. York 55 37 58 Chicago 36 56 39  
Detroit 52 43 54 St. Louis 27 61 36

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 1 (1st game). Batteries—Lush, Bresnahan; Bell, Bergen.  
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 5 (2d game). Batteries—Willis, Harmon, Corridon, Phelps; Berger, Erwin.  
At New York—Chicago, 5; New York, 4. Batteries—O'Fallon, Kroh, Kling, Mathewson, Schiele.  
At Boston—Cincinnati, 6; Boston, 1. Batteries—Rowan, McLean; Brown, Smith.  
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 6; Pittsburgh, 1. Batteries—White, Mercer, Gibson; Moore, Dooft.

#### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L. P. C. W. L. P. C.  
Chicago 60 30 67 Cincinnati 46 45 50  
N. York 52 37 58 St. Louis 39 54 49  
Pittsburg 50 37 57 Brooklyn 37 54 47  
Pittsburg 45 44 50 Boston 27 61 35

#### TRI-STATE LEAGUE.

At Altoona—Johnstown, 1; Altoona, 5. Batteries—Miller, Conroy; Stanley, Rodenbaugh, Bradley.  
At Lancaster—Lancaster, 5; Reading, 2. Batteries—Gill, McGinley; Horsey, Barton.  
At Williamsport—Williamsport, 6; Harrisburg, 0. Batteries—UPP, Therre; Gaskill, McCormick.  
At York—York, 1; Trenton, 1. Batteries—George, Rementer; Blanchard, Kerr.

#### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L. P. C. W. L. P. C.  
Altoona 54 25 64 Johnstown 38 42 47  
Williams 47 31 62 Harrisburg 36 43 45  
Lancaster 44 32 57 Reading 30 48 38  
Trenton 34 44 55 York 21 57 29

#### Miners to Convene.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 3.—President T. L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America, announced that he would issue a call for a special convention of that body to be held in Indianapolis within the next two weeks. He states that the call is not made on account of the trouble in the Illinois field, but adds that the convention is made necessary because of conditions in "certain districts."

### GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR firm; winter wheat, \$4.15@4.40; city mills, fancy, \$6.50@6.75.  
RYE FLOUR steady, at \$4.40 per barrel.  
WHEAT steady; No. 2 red, new, 93½¢@99½¢.  
CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, local, 73¢@73½¢.  
OATS quiet; No. 2 white, 47½¢@48¢; lower grades, 46¢.  
POULTRY: Live firm, hens, 17½¢@18¢; old roosters, 13¢; dressed firm; choice fowls, 18½¢; old roosters, 13¢.  
BUTTER steady; extra creamery, 30¢ per lb.  
EGGS firm; selected, 26¢@28¢; near-by, 21½¢; western, 21½¢.  
POTATOES quiet, at 50¢@51.65 per barrel, as to quality.

Live Stock Markets.  
PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE firm; choice, \$7.20@7.40; prime, \$6.90@7.15.  
SHEEP steady; prime wethers, \$4.75@5.00; culls and common, \$2.25@3.00; heavy calves, \$9.50@10.00.  
HOGS firm; prime heavies, \$8.75@8.80; mediums, \$9.25; heavy Yorkers, \$9.45@9.50; light Yorkers, \$9.65@9.75; pigs, \$9.80@9.90; roughs, \$7.50@8.00.

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## A Wild Race

By WILLIAM EASTMAN

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While traveling in Colorado I dined informally with a successful mine owner. His wife was a demure little woman, who said nothing during the meal, her sole ambition apparently being to see that his children had what they wished and what was best for them to eat. After dinner, while smoking with my host, I asked him if his wife, being such a gentle, feminine little woman, did not find life in a new country distasteful.

He smiled. "I could tell you a story about that 'gentle, feminine little woman,'" he said, "that would make your hair curl."

"Do so," I replied.  
"Lisa," he began—"that's my wife—was born out here. Her father came out to mine. When she was sixteen years old she was out one day with her father and brother, who were prospecting. They had with them a horse of Tennessee racing stock and fleet as the wind.

"While Lisa was flower gathering and her father and brother feeling about in the ground with their picks suddenly she heard a noise. She looked up and saw her father and brother looking at each other, both very pale. Then her father ran to Jack, calling to her at the same time to come to him, loosed the bridle rein, put her on him and said:

"Ride for your life. A cloudburst is coming. Stick to Jack. He can outrun anything."

"And, turning the horse's head down the gorge, he gave him a slap on his haunch, and away he went, with little Lisa astraddle of his back.

"It was not far to a canyon communicating with the gorge they were in, and if Lisa could have turned her horse into it she would have been safe. Her father and brother, who rode the other two horses, did this and had the satisfaction to see the torrent boiling past them, they being on higher ground and out of its path. But in giving her the high bred racer they had endangered her instead of giving her the best chance. Jack, hearing the torrent coming after him, became unmanageable through terror and shot right past the mouth of the canyon.

"Fortunately Lisa had been used to horses. She knew her danger too and was killing herself in the struggle. How he ever passed over the path he did I can't imagine. I've been over it often since, and every time I wonder more. If he fell the torrent would be on him and his rider before he could get up and she mount him again, even if that were possible. If he became exhausted that meant death too.

"Once, she says, she looked back to see what had become of her father and brother. She saw great trees hurled by a mad torrent against the rocky sides of the canyon. One sight of such a scene was enough for her. She tried to soothe her horse by speaking to him and patting him on the neck. Several times he had stumbled, but recovered himself, and she knew this was her greatest danger.

"Well, here I come in. I was a tenderfoot ordered by my doctor to come out here to breathe the mountain air. At the time Lisa was coming down the canyon I was being driven in a light wagon in the opposite direction by a man I had hired for the purpose. We heard a roaring; but, I being a greenhorn in the country and the driver being stupid, neither of us knew what it meant. The road was narrow. Beside it was the waterway and on either hand the canyon's walls.

"Suddenly I saw up the gorge a horse coming lickety split and knew by fluttering skirts that a woman was on him. He couldn't pass us at that gait owing to the fact that we took up all but about three feet of the road. Lisa says he seemed to recognize the fact,

for he slowed up of his own accord.

"Just before Lisa reached us my driver seemed to catch the meaning of it all and, jumping from the wagon, began to scramble up the side of the canyon. I, not understanding what was the matter, sat still till the girl came up. I had never seen her before, but I was not likely to forget the picture. Her horse was white with foam; her hair had broken loose and was flying in the wind.

"A cloudburst! she cried.  
"I didn't know what a cloudburst was, but at that moment caught sight of its forward edge and didn't need any one to tell me. I had come west in a sleeping berth all the way from Ohio and was weak as a kitten. My cowardly driver was taking care of himself, but paying no attention to me. The girl took in the situation. She was trying to squeeze her horse between the stone wall of the gulch and the wagon, but had presence of mind to call to me to get on behind her. One glance at that coming death gave me all the strength I needed, and I was on Jack in a jiffy. Then she let him go again.

"We were a mile from her home, the horse was getting exhausted, and now he had a double load. She knew well enough that she was halving her chances at taking me on, but we managed to keep ahead of the flood, and in a few minutes Jack mounted the rising ground that led to his stable.  
"And that," my host concluded, "is the 'gentle, feminine woman' you're talking about."

"She's that and a heroine besides," I supplemented.

### Writing Tricks.

Can you write your name with your left hand? It is a good thing to know how in case you ever hurt your right hand.

Can you write a looking glass letter? That always amuses children, so if you have a friend who is ill send her a looking glass letter to cheer her up.

Practice by writing on a piece of paper held in front of a mirror, and soon you will find it is quite easy to do looking glass writing. Looking glass writing is done backward, so that it looks all right when it is held to the mirror. Also see if you can write your name backward—that is, begin at the last stroke and go back to the first—and as a last trick try to write your name upside down. That is not at all easy, but copy your signature upside down and you will be able to do it quite well after a little practice.

After you can do all these things learn to write a good clear hand in the proper way, like a sensible person.—Chicago News.

### Soap Bubbles.

If your father happens to be smoking when you are blowing soap bubbles, get him to blow some bubbles for you. He just fills his mouth with smoke and then blows an ordinary bubble with the clay pipe. The bubble will generally grow very large and will, of course, be filled with smoke. Floating in the sunshine, some of these present a very beautiful appearance.

If you want to make a very large bubble, first cover your hands well with soapuds and then place them together in the shape of a cup, leaving a small opening at the bottom. Then hold your hands about a foot from your mouth and blow into them. The bubbles obtained in this way are so large that they immediately burst on touching the floor.—Chicago News.

### Conundrums.

Why is a steam engine at a fire an anomaly? Because it works and plays at the same time.

Whose best works are most trampled on? The shoemaker's, because good shoes last longer than bad ones.

When is a boy in a pantry like a poacher? When he walks into the preserves.

Why are clergymen like brakemen? Because they do a lot of coupling.

When are two persons said to be half-witted? When they have an understanding between them.

Why is a jailor like a musician? Because he fingers the keys.—Philadelphia Ledger.



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8:05 a. m., for Baltimore, Hanover and York and all intermediate points.  
10:08 a. m., for Fairfield, Pen Mar, Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins and all points westward.  
1 p. m., for New Oxford, Hanover, York and intermediate points.  
3:40 p. m., for Baltimore, Hanover, York and all intermediate points.  
5:17 p. m., for Baltimore, York, Hanover and intermediate points.  
6:45 p. m., for B. & O. Division, Waynesboro, Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg and Hancock.  
Sundays Only  
Sunday trains arrive at Gettysburg at 8:55 a. m.  
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7:22 p. m., local train to York.  
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## Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate

On SATURDAY, AUGUST 27th, 1910.  
The undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John Herring, late of Franklin Township, Adams County, Pa. dec'd, will sell the following described real estate: A tract of land situate in Franklin township, Adams County, Pa., on the road leading from Ottumma to Mt. Carmel Church, about two miles from the former and one mile from the latter place, adjoining lands formerly of Jacob Kump, John T. Currens, Mrs. Peter Shuff, Rev. Gath and others, containing 10 acres, more or less, improved with a two-story frame house, barn, and all other necessary outbuilding, a never-failing spring of water near the house and running water near the buildings; a young orchard of Imperial apple trees in fine condition just beginning to bear cherries, plums, pears, and other fruit. Conveniently located to schools and churches. The land is under good fencing and in an excellent state of cultivation, being particularly adapted to fruit production.  
Tract No. 2. A tract of mountain timberland situate about 200 yards from Tract No. 1, containing 21 acres, more or less, covered with chestnut, rock oak, white oak and locust timber.  
Sale to commence on Tract No. 1 at 1:30 o'clock P. M. when attendance will be given and terms made known by GEORGE HERRING, Executor.

## GETTYSBURG MARKETS

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouses corrected daily by C. Milton Wolf, Jr., Successor to J. Geo. Wolf's Sons Co.

Wheat	Per Bu.	93
Ear Corn		70
Rye		60
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Badger Cow Food	Per 100	1.25
Schmacker Stock Food		1.45
Wheat Bran		\$1.25
Cotton seed meal, per hundred		\$1.85
Corn and Oats Chop		1.45
White Middlings		1.50
Red Middlings		1.50
Timothy hay		1.10
Rye chop		1.60
Baled straw		50
Plaster	\$7.50 per ton	
Cement	\$1.30 per bbl	
Flour	\$5.50	
Western flour	Per bu	6.50
Wheat		1.00
Shelled Corn		80
Ear Corn		85
New oats		45
Old oats		50

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THE annual Harvest Home Picnic of Cumberland and Adams County will be held at Mt. Holly park on Wednesday, August 17th, 1910.

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Knouse's store at Brysonia will close next Tuesday, August 10, at 10:30 a. m.

## T. R. PROBING MINERS' WOES

Investigating Condition in Anthracite Belt.

### ABANDONS HIS INCOGNITO

Ex-President Will Spend Three Days in Wilkes-Barre as Guest of Rev. J. J. Curran.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Aug. 3.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, accompanied by Lawrence Abbott, son of Lyman Abbott, editor of the Outlook, of New York, arrived at Scranton, having spent the night at the Delaware Water Gap and making a trip over the Pocono mountains by automobile. He met John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers, and Rev. J. J. Curran, of the Catholic Church of the Holy Saviour, of this city, who was closely associated with Mitchell during the strikes in the anthracite region. The four will tour the mining section Scranton to inquire into the industrial conditions.

Guest of Bishop. While in Scranton Mr. Roosevelt was the guest of Bishop Hoban. He will come here and for three days be entertained by Father Curran.

At Scranton he met Miss Fanny Cochran and Miss Florence Lucas Sanville, of Philadelphia, who have for years been studying conditions of life among the working classes, and who are acting as his guides in his present investigation. He preceded him from New York by train.

Explaining his tour of investigation, Colonel Roosevelt said:

"I have long been interested in social conditions in the mining towns in Pennsylvania. When I read two articles in a magazine, written by Miss Sanville and Miss Cochran, of the Consumers' League, of Philadelphia, I immediately got in touch with them, and arranged to visit the mining towns and to see and talk with the people."

Abandons Incognito. Mr. Roosevelt has given up all attempts at traveling incognito as a bad job. He had hoped that, seated behind the curtains in the automobile, he might escape discovery, but almost before he left New York the Scranton newspapers were out with accounts of his coming visit.

The ex-president was recognized as soon as he stepped from his automobile in front of the hotel and a crowd cheered wildly. He laughed heartily, but said he was disappointed that he had not been able to conceal his identity, as he believed he could get better results by meeting the miners as nearly as possible on their own plane.

The colonel, with all his characteristic vigor and energy, spent ten hours visiting the homes of the workers, inspecting the mines themselves and taking a look into the conditions of the young women who are employed in the silk mills. The mystery of a quiet little trip has been solved. The colonel admitted that on his way across the Atlantic six weeks ago he was attracted by an article in a magazine describing the folks who live in these neglected parts. He thought that something ought to be done for the unfortunates who have no means of real legitimate amusement when they emerge from the dark recesses of the mines or the stuffy silk mills. He decided to come up and see for himself.

Accession Bill Passed. Oath to be Taken by King George Purged of Offensive Phrases.

London, Aug. 3.—The accession declaration bill, striking out the phrases offensive to Catholics in the declaration made by the king after accession and substituting the words, "I am a faithful Protestant," was passed by the house of lords upon its third reading. No changes were made in the formula as adopted by the house of commons.

Drowned Trying to Save Girl. Cory, Ind., Aug. 3.—Rev. Wallace McVey was drowned in Eel river in an unsuccessful effort to save Miss Edna Old, of Chicago, from drowning.

Mr. McVey was teaching Mrs. McVey and Miss Old to swim. Miss Old sank in a deep pool and Mr. McVey dived after her. Both were swept away by a swift current.

Discuss Railroad Act. Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 3.—The railroad bill, enacted by the last congress, was discussed at a conference of railroad attorneys, which opened in this city. Practically all of the principal railway systems of the United States were represented. The conference was called by Colonel Henry L. Stone, of the Louisville & Nashville railway.

Nearly Suffocated by Burglars. Montclair, N. J., Aug. 3.—Only the timely arrival of Charles Lee saved nine people from asphyxiation in the boarding house of Mrs. William Nickerson. Thieves had entered the cellar, cut out a cash gas meter and the house was flooded with gas.

Strahan Grange Picnic will be held in the Conewago church grove near Hunterstown Saturday August 13th afternoon and evening. Bendersville band will furnish music, refreshments will be served on the grounds.

G. R. THOMPSON, Auctioneer has changed his address from Granite Hill to Gettysburg R. D. 8.

Real Estate for Sale. I have for sale a small property located in Butler township, Adams Co., Pa. about a mile North of Biglerville, containing one acre and 78 perches, improved with a two-story house, stable and other outbuildings; now occupied by Wm. D. Eldred. Any person interested in this property please call upon or write to J. L. BUTT, Gettysburg, Pa.

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## MME. TETRAZZINI.

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### TETRAZZINI DONE WITH US

According to Hammerstein the Diva Will Never Sing Here Again.

New York, Aug. 3.—"Mme. Tetrazzini will never appear in grand opera in America again," was the statement made by Arthur Hammerstein, who arrived from Europe on the liner Rotterdam. Mr. Hammerstein declared that he was given authority before leaving Europe to make this statement.

The reason for the withdrawal of the great prima donna from the American stage is said to be due to the cancellation of a contract which made it necessary for her to sing under the direction of Gatti-Casazza.

## KILLS DOCTOR AND SELF ON EVE OF WEDDING

Woman Shoots Physician and Commits Suicide.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 3.—Dr. George Murray Stuart, one of the most prominent young physicians of the fashionable East Liberty district, was found shot dead in his apartments at 5504 Penn. avenue.

Beside him lay the body of Edna Wallace, a middle aged woman. A shot through her right temple was apparently self-inflicted, after she had shot and killed the doctor. A revolver lying by the woman's side strengthens the police in this theory.

The double killing occurred almost on the eve of Dr. Stuart's marriage to a Virginia society woman.

Edna Wallace was the proprietress of a resort at 222 Lambert street, and the police believe that jealousy of the doctor's approaching marriage prompted the double tragedy. The marriage was to take place August 10. The woman's body was removed to the morgue and that of the young physician was turned over to an undertaker.

Both bodies were found in bed. The police believe the shooting occurred late Sunday night or early Monday morning.

The discovery of the bodies was made by Dr. George W. Ely, a friend of the dead man, who, becoming alarmed at Dr. Stuart's absence, broke into his apartments.

### PLOT TO KILL GOMEZ

Lives Venezuela's President and Governor of Caracas in Danger.

Willmstad, Curacao, Aug. 3.—Rumors are in circulation in Venezuela that the government has discovered that there was a plot to kill Vicente Gomez, the president of the republic, and the governor of Caracas, on July 26, and arrests and flights from Venezuela of prominent Venezuelans give some credibility to the rumors.

### TAFT AND T. R. TO MEET

Said to Have Accepted Invitation to Visit Lloyd C. Griscom.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 3.—The Post says that President Taft and Colonel Theodore Roosevelt have accepted invitations to meet at the summer home of former Ambassador Lloyd C. Griscom at Black Rock.

The exact time of meeting is not known, nor whether there will be others of prominence in the party.

### Crane Picks Out Man's Eye.

Carrolltown, Aug. 3.—While he was holding a crane which had been slightly wounded, Joseph Warendor, aged 23, was unable to dodge its beak, and the bird pecked out his left eye. Because of sympathetic nerve trouble it is believed he may lose the other eye.

### Railroad Strike to End.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 3.—W. L. McKenzie King, minister of labor, announced that a basis of settlement had been reached for the Grand Trunk strike.

## "I WON'T RESIGN" SAYS BALLINGER

Denies He Received Hint From the President.

### CALLS IT VICIOUS ATTACK

The Secretary Scents a Plot of "Scurvy Politicians" to Force Him Out of the Cabinet.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Secretary Ballinger denied that his conference with Senator Crane in Minneapolis related to or would be followed by his resignation. He said the matter discussed was not even of direct interest to him. He denounced his foes in strong language, and said he intended to ignore them entirely.

His denial was issued after reading the dispatches from Beverly, which indicated that Senator Crane's mission to the west was to carry the hint that Mr. Ballinger would aid the party in forthcoming elections by withdrawing at this time.

"There's no resignation on the card, I can tell you," was Mr. Ballinger's reply to this. Continuing, he said:

"I simply am on my way to the coast for a little rest. Some of them want me to make my rest permanent, but it will not be so long as President Taft is satisfied. I met Crane through no arrangement of mine, and the matter we discussed—politics, of course—was nothing which interested me directly at all. Mr. Crane wished to consult me on the matter and came to where I was, that's all. There's nothing mysterious about it. I guess he's gone back east now."

"All this vicious attack by unscrupulous men, backed by newspapers within even less scruples, goes off my back like water off a duck's back. That never will induce me to resign."

The secretary said he intended to leave for the west later in the evening.

### FOUR REPORTED LYNCHED

Colored People Said to be Fleeing From the Vicinity of Dady, Fla.

Defuniak Springs, Fla., Aug. 3.—Following the lynching Saturday night of the colored men charged with the murder of Little Bessie Morrison, at Dady, Fla., another colored man, whose name is unknown, is reported to have been shot to death, accused of participation in the crime.

Conflicting reports as to the number lynched have been received at various points, but information indicates that this victim makes a total of four.

Telephone wires to the vicinity of Dady, Fla., were cut. Colored people were said to be fleeing for their lives from that region. Business was reported suspended, while farmers left their fields to join peases bent on carrying forward vengeance for the murder of Bessie Morrison.

### MULE WRECKS MOTOR CYCLE

Kicked Machine and Riders Over a Steep Bank.

Logansport, Ind., Aug. 3.—Clyde Jenness took his sweetheart for a ride on a motor cycle, and seeing a mule standing in the road, let in the gasoline and opened wide the exhaust. "Watch him run," he said, but when the mule did not run Jenness turned to pass the animal, fearing a collision. Just as he was opposite the mule, it let fly with both feet, striking the motor cycle amidships and hurling the riders over a steep bank. The machine was broken to pieces and the riders were badly injured.

### STORK VISITS THE HEERENS

Baby Boy Born to Daughter of Mr. Rodman Wanamaker.

Philadelphia, Aug. 3.—Word has been received here of the birth in Paris, France, of a son to M. and Mme. Arturo Heeren. Mme. Heeren was Miss Fernanda Wanamaker. She was married in Europe last summer.

The little heir is Mr. Rodman Wanamaker's first grandchild, and is the first great-grandchild of Mr. John Wanamaker.

### Found Missing Boy in Hospital.

Pennington, N. J., Aug. 3.—Hollis Wyman, seventeen years old, a son of the Rev. W. T. Weyman, of Cherry Valley, Mass., who mysteriously disappeared Monday from the home of W. D. Starr, near here, was located at St. Francis' hospital, Trenton. The lad was registered under the assumed name of Charles Baker. He is seriously ill.

### Strikers Burn Thirty Cars.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 3.—Following a clash with the Canadian Northern Railway company's police at the company's shops here, where 500 carmen are on a strike, a mob of strikers stoned the enclosure of the shops where strikebreakers board. In another part of the yards thirty freight and passenger cars were burned.

### Cured Indigestion by Fasting.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Aug. 3.—After fasting for twenty-one days to cure indigestion, H. S. Grove, a merchant, of Catawissa, near here, considered himself cured and started to eat again.

A horse should always be tied to a hitching post with a strong strap or rope which there is no possibility of its breaking. If a horse once breaks loose he is apt to acquire the bad habit of breaking at every opportunity. A neck strap of rope which passes round the neck through the ring in the bit is better than the ordinary strap fastened in the ring such as usually comes with bridles. If a horse has acquired the habit of breaking loose try this plan and fool him when he tries it again.

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### DON'TS.

Don't buy much cracked corn except for immediate use. Hot corn, moldy corn, dead chicks.

Don't get the blues and loaf and fret. Just keep real sweet and push and sweat.

Don't expect eggs to be at Christmas price in May. The hens in sunshine now make hay.

Don't look on the preacher with suspicion every time he looks with admiration at your pretty roosters.

Don't forget the bees are a good side line with hens, though inside a duck they bring bad luck.

Don't turn chickens on ground where ducks have been penned before it is well cleaned and disinfected.

Don't brag nor chew the rag. A big open mouth often reveals an empty head.

Don't bother with a brooder that is not first class. Poor brooder, bad stock; bad stock, stumbling block.

Don't let the cluck be worried with crawlers. She hatches best with no lice in the nest.

### Sits of Advice.

Each person is given a slip of paper and pencil. The leader then tells the players to write a bit of advice, original if possible, on the paper, fold it and drop it into a basket as it passes by.

The papers are all mixed together and the basket passed around again, each player taking one, but not opening it until called on to do so.

Before opening the papers each one must say whether the advice is good or bad, necessary or unnecessary and whether he intends to follow it or not. When the paper is unfolded and read aloud it may prove the very opposite of what he has said.

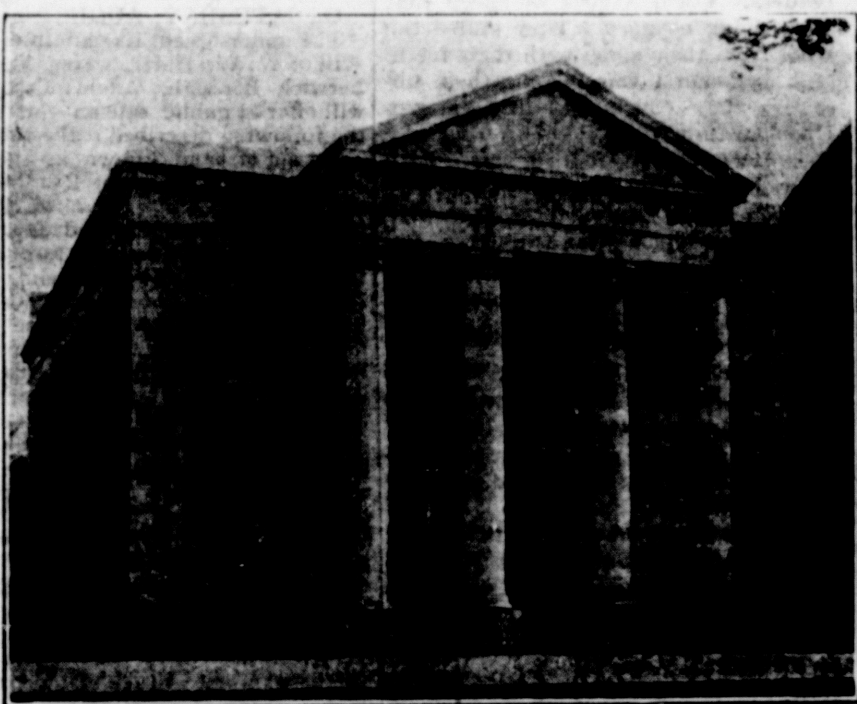
### Vacation.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Vacation comes. When lessons are all done, And oh, how glad I am to say I know mine every one! I've ciphered hard and learned to add. Subtract and multiply. But now the season has come round To put my ciphering by.

I've drawn the maps of every state In our republic grand. I've learned where rivers rise and run And where the mountains stand. The towns which are called capitals. The cities large and small. And great seaports along the coast—I know the names of all.

I've learned about the foreign lands And foreign people, too. Their customs, different from ours. And curious things they do. And grammar's rules that vex me so I know mine every one! Till I am tired of book and slate And long for rest and play.

I want to sail my little boats. I want to catch some fish. I want to wander in the woods And do just what I wish. Lessons are fine for winter days. But now the summer sun Is calling me on every side To three good months of fun! —Youth's Companion.



## ∴ BANK NOTICE ∴

The Directors of The Gettysburg National Bank take pleasure in announcing that they are now occupying their new Banking House on York street. The public are cordially invited to call and see our new building. During business hours our Gentle men's Writing Room and Ladies' Reception Room are at the disposal of our patrons and their friends. Our lock boxes are given to our depositors free of charge. We thank our patrons for their business and will endeavor by our courtesy, fidelity and promptness to continue to deserve their confidence and patronage.

The Gettysburg National Bank  
E. M. BENDER, Cashier. Wm. McSHERRY, President.

## Farmers!

C. W. Bream, Biglerville, will pay the highest cash price for Hay and Straw, or will bale it by the ton. United Phone.



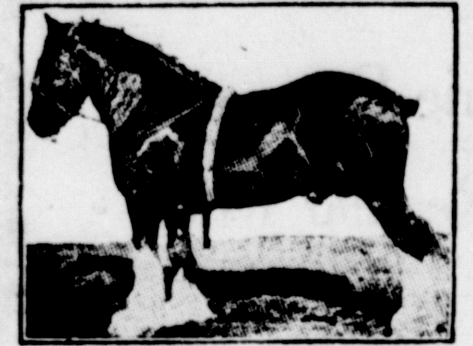
## CARE OF HORSE IN SUMMER.

Method of Preventing Sunstroke of the Farm Animal.

During periods of excessive heat, when work horses in the fields or upon the streets are liable to suffer from sunstroke or "overheating," states Professor A. S. Alexander, veterinarian of the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin, much may be done by the owner to lessen the likelihood of attack. Affected horses are usually those that are sick or soft, and every possible means should be taken to prevent indigestion and fit the animal to withstand labor in hot weather.

Horses under five years of age are more apt to suffer than seasoned adult animals; hence young horses should be worked lightly during hot weather. Indigestion, the common forerunner of sunstroke, is indicated by dullness, sluggishness, panting at light labor, sweating in stable and the changeable character of the manure which is normal some days and again clay colored, mucus covered or an undigested, offensive mass. When so affected it is extremely dangerous to work the animal in extreme hot weather.

Slight changes in food, more care in feeding, rest and simple correctives



WELL SET FARM HORSE.

are required in such cases, and preventive measures may be adopted as follows:

Feed hay night and morning only; give drinking water before meals and in small sips often when at work; prefer clean, soft water to that rendered "hard" by the presence of lime salts which tend to derange the stomach. Remove the harness at noon and allow sufficient time for rest and mastication of food; groom the skin thoroughly once daily; feed sound food; avoid corn in summer, as it is heating; prefer sound old oats, which repair waste of tissue and promote vim and endurance; avoid sudden changes of food and do not feed heated, green grass or clover.

Cleanse the stable daily, ventilate perfectly, screen doors and windows, remove manure piles from the vicinity of the stable and feed fresh food each meal. Shade the horse's head when at work, but avoid a heavy wet sponge; if possible, do not work three horses abreast, as the middle horse suffers thereby and is the most liable to sunstroke; where such combination cannot be avoided, change horses often to afford as much relief as possible. Choose the coolest hours for work and change teams often during sultry, moist weather when thunderstorms are prevalent.

## RIDGING SHEEP OF TICKS.

Sulphur Used With Good Results by a Sheep Herder.

Perhaps my experience of several years ago might be of interest to your readers. I had a flock of sheep that were doing no good. They pulled the wool from their sides with their teeth, and although I was feeding them liberally, they continued to go down. Upon examination I found that the sheep were covered with a small, flesh colored louse, and they also had many ticks on them.

This was during the winter season, says a prominent sheep herder in Ohio Farmer. I began feeding them ground feed, with a liberal quantity of sulphur mixed once a day. I fed them sulphur for two or three weeks, and it was not long until I noticed an improvement in my sheep. At clipping time the lice were all gone, and there was not a live tick found on them. I found many dead ticks in the wool.

Some persons told me that there was danger of the sulphur making the ewes lose their lambs, but there was not any loss at all from this source, and there was no bad effects from the use of sulphur noticeable in any way. I find that sulphur is quite as effective in riding cattle of lice when fed to them once a day for a few days.

The small boy may be able to muster a little more enthusiasm in the matter of waging war on the weeds in the garden patch if his daddy keeps a good edge on the old hoe.

## Executors Sale of Valuable

Mill and Farm

On SATURDAY, AUGUST 20th, 1910 The Executors of the Will of W. W. Hafer, deceased, late of Berwick Borough, Adams County, Penna., will sell at public sale on the premises the following described real estate:

The property which is known as the Hafer Mill and Farm situated in Hamilton Township, Adams County, Penna., at the junction of the Hampton and Abbottstown Roads, with the road leading to the Hanover and Carlisle Turnpike being two miles and a half south west of East Berlin.

Tract No. 1 The mill property on the big Conewago Creek, adjoining said Creek and Tract No. 2, containing 16 Acres and 90 Perches. Improved with a large 4 story roller flour mill, part stone and part frame, a large circular saw mill, a large two story brick house with brick summer house, a large bank barn, wagon shed and other out-buildings. This is one of the best mills in Adams County. The dam is newly constructed and perfect built, there is a head race with a perfect water power direct from the creek. Large bridge across the creek at this point. The mill rents for \$500.00 a year.

Tract No. 2 The Hafer farm connected with the Mill adjoining land of Tract No. 1. Harry W. Swartz, Wm. Bricker, containing 197 Acres more or less. About three acres being woodland. Improved with a large brick house, large bank barn large grain and hay shed, wagon shed, corn crib, hog stable, implement shed, blacksmith shop and other out-buildings. Abundance of water at house and barn furnished by windmill. Good meadow land and fruit of all kinds.

This is one of the best mills and farms in Adams County the farm is under good fencing and the land is in a good state of cultivation and produces well.

These two tracts will be offered separately and as a whole and will be sold whichever way they bring the most money.

Sale to commence at 2 o'clock P. M. 25 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale and balance on April 1st, 1911. 2-3 of the purchase price will be loaned on a first mortgage on the premises at 5 per cent. interest.

Attendants will be given and full terms made known by

EMMA W. HAFFER, CHAS. S. DUNCAN, Executors.

G. B. M. Baker, Auctioneer

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## Executors Sale of Valuable Real Estate

On SATURDAY, AUGUST 6th, 1910 The undersigned, Executors of the Last Will of W. W. Hafer, deceased, late of Berwick Borough, Adams County, Pa. will offer at public sale on the premises the following described real estate:

A tract of land known as the "John Reigle Farm," situated in Reading Township, Adams County, Pa., on the road leading from Hampton and East Berlin road to the York Springs road, close to the former road, adjoining lands of C. B. Kaufman, Alexander Spangler, J. H. Bruffman, Lewis Dettler and David Hoover, located midway between Hampton and East Berlin, containing 106 acres and 128 perches, more or less, of which about three acres are woodland. The improvements consist of a one and a half story frame dwelling house with frame kitchen attached, large bank barn, hog pen and other out-buildings. There are a number of good springs on the farm and water near the buildings.

Sale to commence at one o'clock P. M. Twenty-five per cent of purchase money to be paid on day of sale and the balance on April 1st, 1911. Two-thirds of the purchase price will be loaned on first mortgage lien at 5 per cent. This farm will positively be sold. Attendance will be given and full terms of sale made known by

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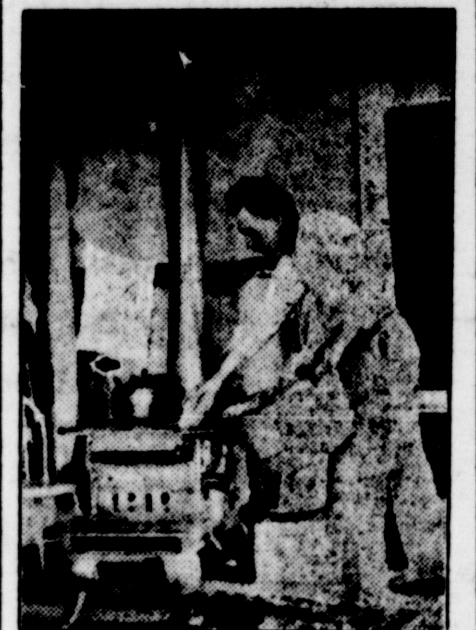
FOR SALE—A flat clarinet in perfect condition, cheap apply to 140 E. Middle street.

## "BACK TO THE FARM"

THE high cost of living, or the "cost of high living," as James J. Hill puts it, is a subject which just now is engrossing the attention of the entire nation. The cost of the necessities of life has been steadily increasing since 1896. The symptoms have been viewed with increasing alarm by nearly all classes. Within the last year the matter has reached an acute stage. The average increase in the cost of necessities from Jan. 1, 1900, to Jan. 1, 1910, was 11.7 per cent. The increase over July 1, 1896, was 61 per cent.

The wage and salary earners in the cities have seen the "bread line" gradually drawing closer. The margin between income and expenses, narrow at best, has shrunk to the vanishing point. All this while newspapers have been shouting prosperity, forgetful of the old maxim that "the real prosperity of a nation is the citizen's margin of saving."

Whatever the cause of this increase in the cost of necessities and comforts, there are but two ways in which the citizen as an individual can meet it. The first is to increase his income,



USING CORN FOR FUEL IN 1896.

and the second is to lower his standard of living. The wage earner, banded together with his fellows in a union, has been able to increase his scale of wages to some extent, though not nearly enough to fill the gap between income and expenses. The wage earner who does not belong to a union has profited to some extent by the general rise in wages, though not so much as the union man.

The salaried man has borne the hardest brunt of the rising prices. He belongs to no union, and his demands for increased pay have brought little response.

All classes that are compelled to work for a living have had to turn to the other alternative in a greater or less degree. They have been forced to lower their standard of living. The first item to be attacked is the food supply. Russell Sage once said, "As the cost of living increases the use of meat decreases, the proportion of dark meats increases and child labor becomes plentiful." Less meat means poorer nourishment, less resistance to disease and a higher death rate. Other foods of cheaper quality are used. Oleomargarine takes the place of butter. Cold storage eggs are a luxury and fresh eggs unknown, and cheaper brands of canned goods are used.

Aside from food, the big item of expense in the city is rent. In order to keep up with the increased cost of things property owners have been forced to raise rents. The frenzied crowding of the people to the cities has enabled landlords to make these increased rents effective. The result is that a house with a porch and a bit of lawn has become a luxury, and more and more the middle classes, the classes on whom prosperity should react most favorably, have been forced into flats and apartment houses. The poorer classes have moved into tenements. The high cost of room has made crowding inevitable. Human beings have been forced to herd together like cattle or worse. The modern dairy barn is a palace beside some of the tenements that pass muster as human habitations.

Many causes have been advanced by economists and others to account for the rise in prices. Many blame the tariff, but that will not explain why prices are rising nearly as rapidly in England as in the United States. The economist's favorite reason is in the increase in the supply of gold. Money is becoming cheaper, he says, and therefore it takes more of it to buy a given amount of any commodity. This explanation sounds very plausible, but it does not explain the fact that prices have at other times gone down in the face of increased gold production. The gold supply is unquestionably a factor influencing rising prices. That it is the fundamental factor may well be doubted.

Other writers try to lay the whole trouble to the growing extravagance of the American people and to the increased standard of living. It is true that at the present time we regard as necessities what yesterday were luxuries. This increase in the standard of

## I.—The Growth of the Cities and the Increased Cost of Living.

By C. V. GREGORY,

Author of "Home Course in Live Stock Farming," "Making Money on the Farm," "Home Course in Modern Agriculture," Etc.

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living is but the product of civilization, however, and is something to be encouraged rather than discouraged. Furthermore, it is responsible in but a small degree for the increase in the cost of living. The increase in the standard of living has manifested itself most strongly in better houses, better clothing and more conveniences. Yet the great increase in cost has been not in these materials, but in food. Between July 1, 1896, and Jan. 1, 1910, breadstuffs and live stock increased in price 108 per cent. During the same period the increase in the textiles was 73 per cent, in metals 65 per cent and in building materials only 15 per cent. That luxurious living has had much to do with the increased prices cannot be denied. That it is wholly responsible is far from the truth.

If we are to seek the real cause of this crisis that confronts our country we must go back to the old cause of supply and demand, coupled with other factors that have grown out of this. The period from 1870 to 1895 was the period of development of the middle west, the bread basket of the world. Here were lands of unparalleled fertility that had merely to be scratched to give forth their bountiful supplies. The result was that the markets of the world were flooded with foodstuffs.

By 1896 the middle west was pretty well settled. The bloom of its virgin fertility had been removed. Soon the days of using corn for fuel and wheat to feed the hogs were past. Prices of farm products began to rise. If there had been no other factor entering in they would soon have reached a normal level, and the readjustment would have come with little trouble. Unfortunately the tide of population toward the cities had become too strong to be turned in a day.

From 1880 to 1900 the percentage of farmers decreased from 44.3 to 35.6, a decrease of 8.7 per cent. During the same period the percentage of persons engaged in manufacturing increased from 21.8 to 24.3. This increase of 2.5 per cent is no more than normal and may be accounted for by the increase in the standard of living and the consequent demand for manufactured articles. The increase in professional lines during this time was eight-tenths of 1 per cent, while the number of persons engaged in domestic and personal service decreased one-tenth of 1 per cent.

The great increase came in the number of persons engaged in trade and transportation, an increase of 5.5 per cent. Of the 16.3 per cent of the working people engaged in trade and transportation in 1900 only nine-tenths were engaged in transportation proper. The others, 15.4 per cent of all the people of the United States who work, were simply middlemen. Complete figures since 1900 are not available, but the cityward trend has increased rather than diminished.

Here is the true explanation of the high cost of living. There are more than one-third as many men engaged in distributing food as there are in producing it. The consumer's dollar is worn thin before it gets to the producer. The 10,000,000 men who farm must supply food to the 7,000,000 people who are working in the factories.



OVERCROWDED TENEMENT DISTRICT IN A GREAT CITY.

to the 12,000,000 people who are doing nonproductive work and to the 46,000,000 people who do not work at all. And because the changed ratio of supply and demand are enabling the farmer to make a profit where before he worked at a loss there is a great outcry over the high cost of living. This outcry will not change things in the least. Neither will boycotts nor anti-meat societies.

There is only one remedy, a reversal of the tide of population. The abnormal growth of cities must be checked. Farming must be restored to its proper place in the industrial world. In the succeeding articles we shall note some of the forces that are bringing this about.

Interesting to Roadmakers. The number of automobiles now owned in the United States is estimated at 250,000, and the number is rapidly increasing.

France is said to have the most superb system of highways in the world. It is said that her good roads have cost her \$625,000,000.

Scientific road builders are concentrating attention on securing a road surface that will withstand the tremendous wear and tear of automobiles. Nothing damages an improved road as much as a heavy machine driven on it.

## IN A SPIRIT OF MISCHIEF

By SHIELA ESTHER DUNN

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"My child, what's the matter between you and George?"

"Oh, aunty, I'm vexing him!"

"Don't do it."

A young girl sat at the feet of a woman of ninety. The tender curves in the face of the one contrasted strongly with the wrinkles of the other, who was her great-granddaughter. The one was of the early twentieth century, the other of the early nineteenth.

"When I was your age," the old woman continued after a pause, "General Jackson was president. He was a great fighting man, and since he not only fought the enemies of his country, but his own enemies, his example affected every one. He fought a duel with and killed a young married man who said something disagreeable about his wife. I always thought she was no saint, but the romance of it fired a young friend of mine, Albert Stevenson, and he was constantly looking for some girl on whom to practice Jackson's knight errantry."

"I was accepting the attention of a young Virginian, Fitz Hugh Fairfax. He was a remarkably handsome man and full of real chivalry, not the spurious kind affected by many others. He was devoted to me, and I loved him desperately."

"But our southern girls had the same romantic ideas as the young man. We thought it a fine thing to flirt with two or three men and at last give our selves to some suitor who was ready to play Don Quixote in our defense. I was at the time playing a game with both Albert Stevenson and Fitz Hugh Fairfax. I had one other string to my bow, but I have forgotten his name. And yet at one time I thought I should marry him. Oh, dear, how one's memory fails after so many years!"

"One day I was walking in the garden with Fairfax. We sat down on a bench under a tree. Stevenson called, and they told him I was in the garden. I saw him leave the house and come toward us. Fairfax was turned away from him. I am sure Fairfax was about to propose to me. He was bending over me with his face near to mine. Suddenly I jumped up, assuming an offended appearance. At the same time Stevenson joined us."

"He asked Fitz Hugh what it all meant. Very red in the face, he told Stevenson to ask me. Stevenson turned to me, and I, acting under the guidance of the spirit of devilry that was in me, said never a word, but walked to the house."

"I was no sooner on the gallery than it occurred to me that some real trouble might come out of my freak, and, returning to the young men, I told them that there was nothing of moment between Mr. Fairfax and me and they were to consider the matter as not having happened. Then when Fairfax gave me that cold, contemptuous look, which I can see at this very moment, my blood ran cold. I knew he had loved me, that I loved him and that I had lost him."

"Neither of the young men spoke. As I had nothing more to say and influenced by the look Fitz Hugh had given me, I went away, leaving them together. I made a second mistake in doing this, but I couldn't remain where Fitz Hugh was after that look. I wished to go to my room and weep. There was more to weep for than the loss of his respect, and no man can really love a woman without that. It did not occur to me that after I had exonerated him there would be any trouble between him and Stevenson."

"I lay awake that night till dawn and then fell asleep. I awoke late in the morning and went downstairs into the dining room."

"'La's a massy, Missy Imogen, said our table servant, 'have yo' heard de news?'"

"'No,' I said. 'What is it?'"

"'Mars' Stevenson and Mars' Fitz Hugh fought a duel dis mawnin' befo' sunup, an' Mars' Fitz Hugh killed Mars' Stevenson."

"I sank on the floor in a swoon. It was a long time before I recovered from an attack of brain fever. I recovered from the fever, but that's all I have recovered from to this day."

"Fitz Hugh never came to see me or, as far as I could learn, asked for me. I knew that in my heedless act and its result I had fixed a great gulf between him and me. He went back to Virginia. He never married, nor did I. But we never met again."

"A friend of both parties told me what had happened after I left the two young men. Stevenson assumed that I had exonerated Fitz Hugh because I was magnanimous and did not wish to make trouble. He posed as my defender and sent a challenge to the man who had insulted me. Insulted me! In another moment he would have asked me to be his wife. They fought with pistols, and at the first shot Fitz Hugh had fired in the air. Stevenson then made some irritating remark, whereupon Fitz Hugh on the second shot had sought to wing his opponent. By this shot he unintentionally killed his antagonist."

"By that one act I lost the only man I ever loved, made him a murderer with a sting upon his conscience, caused the premature death of one who loved me and have lived for three-quarters of a century under a blight."

"No, no, dear, don't vex your lover. Many a pair of young lovers have been separated and their lives turned awry by a spirit of mischief on the part of the girl. But mine is the worst of all."

Good Feed For Young Pigs.

Bran, milk and pasturage are some of the bulky feeds well adapted to the real young pig. They help to distend the digestive system, which enables the pig to use cheaper and coarser feeds to better advantage than the pigs raised on concentrates.

Poorly Fitted Harness. Where the harness has been rubbed off a horse in places by the harness, the harness may be made to return by adjusting the harness to prevent further rubbing, and then keeping the place well treated for a few weeks.

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Capt. and Q. M. 16th., Infantry.

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\$1.00 black skirts 70c., \$1.35 ones \$1.00, white skirts for \$1.00 that are simply stunning for the money. Four-in-hand ties 20c ones for 10c that are fine, towels for 5 and 10c per pair. We have about 3000 yds. of 6c gingham that we are offering at 4 1/2c per yard, a regular bargain. Our 5c calico is moving rapidly, the 6 and 8c dress gingham that were 10 and 12 1/2c are regular trade winners. The 50c umbrellas for 29c will surprise you.

10c dust pans 5c good and strong, pot covers 8 in. to 13 in. 4c. each, 10c toilet combs 5c tin cups 3 for 5c, agate cups 5c each, 50 envelopes for 5c. Don't forget our splendid line of 5c embroidery and 3c laces.

## Groceries

7lbs. oatmeal for 25c, 4 lbs. raisins for 25c. Soap at a bargain. 4 lbs. lima beans for 25c, Arbuckles coffee 16c, mackerel, fresh, 6 for 25c.

## Shoes

A rare opportunity: seize it at once. 300 pairs low shoes at wonderful reduction. These prices should convince you that they are way down, 50c ones 35c, 75c for 58c, 90c ones 68c, \$1.15 ones 88c, \$1.25 ones 98c, \$1.50 ones \$1.18, \$1.75 for \$1.38, \$2.00 for \$1.90, \$2.25 for \$2.00 etc. We can fit you from baby to grown-up. Our Fall styles are here for your inspection. The best chick, up-to-date line.

All other shoes are offered at cut prices which will pay alone for a visit to inspect our stock and prices.

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## REDUCTION SALE

All Straw Hats and Low Shoes (Oxfords) must move.

No matter where you have been looking, it will be to your interest to call here before buying.

C. B. Kitzmiller,

No. 7, Baltimore Street, Gettysburg

## Schedule of Arendtsville Auto Company

5:45 A. M.		
8:35 " "		Sunday
10:05 " "		only
2:40 P. M.		9:55 a. m.
3:55 " "		4:55 p. m.
8:25 " "		

Car leaves Arendtsville

Dr. Wolff, H. H. Warren, I. S. Orner, Mgrs.